

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kagayaki Kuroda :  
Serial No.: 10/564,169 : Art Unit:  
Filed: January 10, 2006 : Examiner:  
For: SELF-REFERENCING/BODY MOTION :  
TRACKING NON-INVASIVE INTERNAL :  
TEMPERATURE DISTRIBUTION :  
MEASUREMENT METHOD AND APPARATUS :  
USING MAGNETIC RESONANCE :  
TOMOGRAPHIC IMAGING TECHNIQUE :

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
IN A NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-provisional Application (copy enclosed) of Notice dated June 14, 2006, **Application No. 10/564,169**, enclosed is the executed Declaration of inventor, Kagayaki Kuroda.

Additionally, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 01-2384 for the late filing fee in the amount of \$130.00, as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 01-2384. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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**371 FORMALITIES LETTER**



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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/10/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/10/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/10/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/10/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/10/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/10/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/10/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/10/2006
- Specification filed on 01/10/2006
- Claims filed on 01/10/2006
- Abstracts filed on 01/10/2006
- Drawings filed on 01/10/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the

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missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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